

GLOSSARY

A2C2	Army airspace command and control
AA	assembly area
AAA	antiaircraft artillery
AAFAD	all arms for air defense
AFCE	Allied Air Forces Central Europe
AAG	army artillery group
AAR	after-action review
AC	analysis console
ACA	airspace coordination areas
ACC	air component commander
ACP	Allied Communication Publication
ACR	armored cavalry regiment
ACT	air cavalry troop
AD	armored division
ADA	air defense artillery
ADCOORD	air defense coordinator
ADW	air defense warning
AF	Air Force
AFAC	airborne forward air controller
AFCENT	Allied Forces Central Europe
AFO	aerial fire support officer
AFV	armored fighting vehicle
AG	adjutant general
AGOS	air-ground operations system
AGOSOP	Air-Ground Operations Standard Operating Procedures
AHB	attack helicopter battalion
AI	air interdiction
A/L	administrative/logistics
ALO	air liaison officer
AM	amplitude modification
ANGLICO	air and naval gunfire liaison company
AO	area of operation
AOE	authorized organizational equipment
AP	antipersonnel (mine)
APC	armored personnel carrier
APERS	antipersonnel (ammunition)
API	armor-piercing incendiary
ARNG	Army National Guard
ARSOA	Army special operations aviation
ARSOF	Army special operations forces
ARTEP	Army Training and Evaluation Program
ASOC	air support operations center
ASP	ammunition supply point
AT	antitank
ATGM	antitank guided missile
ATHS	automatic target hand-off system
ATKHB	attack helicopter battalion

ATP	ammunition transfer point
AVLB	armored vehicle launched bridge
AVUM	aviation unit maintenance
AXP	ambulance exchange point
BAI	battlefield air interdiction
BAS	battalion aid station
B-bag	battle bags
BDA	battle damage assessment
BDAR	battle damage assessment and repair
bde	brigade
BDO	battle dress overgarment
BFV	Bradley fighting vehicle
BHL	battle handover line
BII	basic issue items
BMNT	beginning morning nautical twilight
BMO	battalion maintenance officer
bn	battalion
Bn/TF	battalion/task force
BP	battle position
BSA	brigade support area
C2	command and control
C2 node	command and control junction
C3	command, control, and communication
CA	counterair
CAA	combined arms Army
CAB	combat aviation brigade
CAM	chemical agent monitor
CARC	chemical agent resistant coating
CAS	close air support
CBR	chemical, biological, radiological
CBU	cluster bomb unit
cdr	commander
CE	chemical energy; communications-electronics
CEB	clothing exchange and bath
CESO	communications electronics signal officer
CEV	combat engineer vehicle
CFA	covering force area
CFL	coordinated fire line
CFV	cavalry fighting vehicle
CH	cargo helicopter
CLAMMS	cleared lane mechanical marking system
cm	centimeter(s)
CMT	company maintenance team
COA	change of assignment; course of action
COLT	combat observation lasing team
COMMZ	communications zone
COMSEC	communications security
CONUS	continental United States

COP	command and observation post
COSCOM	corps support command
CP	checkpoint; command post
CPX	command post exercise
CRP	combat reconnaissance patrol
CRT	cathode ray tube
CS	combat support
CSB	corps support battalion
CSM	command sergeant major
CSR	controlled supply rate
CSS	combat service support
CSSE	combat service support element
CTA	common table of allowances
CW	continuous wave
D-day	deployment day
DA	Department of the Army
DAG	divisional artillery group
DAO	division ammunition officer
DBDU	desert battle dress uniform
DD	Department of Defense
DEW	directed energy weapon
DISCOM	division support command
DKIE	decontamination kit individual equipment
DLIC	detachment left in contact
DMD	digital message device
DMMC	division materiel management center
DNVT	digital nonsecure voice terminal
DP	decision point
DPICM	dual-purpose improved conventional munition
DS	direct support
DSA	division support area
DST	decision support template
DSVT	digital subscriber voice terminal
DTG	date-time group
DTOC	division tactical operations center
DZ	drop zone
EA	engagement area
EAC	echelons above corps
EC	electronic combat
ECM	electronic countermeasures
EEFI	essential elements of friendly information
EEI	essential elements of information
EENT	end evening nautical twilight
EMP	electromagnetic pulse
EN	enemy (in illustration)
EPW	enemy prisoner of war
ETAC	enlisted terminal attack controller
ETL	effective translational lift

EW	electronic warfare
EXTAL	extra time allowance
ISG	first sergeant
FA	field artillery
FAAO	field artillery air observer
FAC	forward air controller
FAAR	forward area alerting radar
FARP	forward arming refuel point
FASCAM	family of scatterable mines
FAX	facsimile
FDC	fire direction center
FEBA	forward edge of battle area
FED	forward entry device
FFAR	folding fin aircraft rocket
FIST	fire support team
FIST-V	fire support team vehicle
FKSM	Fort Knox Supplemental Material
FLIR	forward looking infrared
FLOT	forward line of own troops
FM	field manual; frequency modulation
FO	forward observer
FOOGAS	petroleum-based expedient inflammable material
FPF	final protective fire
FRAG-HE	fragmentary high-explosive (ammunition)
FRAGO	fragmentary order
FRG	Federal Republic of Germany
FS	fire support
FSB	forward support battalion
FSCL	fire support coordination line
FSCoord	fire support coordinator
FSE	fire support element
FSO	fire support officer
ft	feet
G1	assistant chief of staff (personnel)
G3	assistant chief of staff (operations and plans)
G3-Air	air operations and planning officer
G4	assistant chief of staff (logistics)
GA	gas agent
Gator	(a mine delivered by fixed-wing aircraft)
GBU	guided bomb unit
GEMSS	ground-emplaced mine scattering system
GLD	ground laser designator
GMRD	guard motorized rifle division
GPS	global positioning systems
GS	general support
GSR	ground surveillance radar

HE	high-explosive
HE-APERS	high-explosive antipersonnel (ammunition)
HEI	high-explosive incendiary
HEMTT	heavy expanded mobile tactical truck
HET	heavy equipment transport
HF	high frequency
HHC	headquarters and headquarters company
HHT	headquarters and headquarters troop
HIMAD	high-to-medium-altitude air defense
HMMWV	high mobility multipurpose wheeled vehicle
hq	headquarters
HTO	high technology observer
ICM	improved conventional munitions
ID	identification
IDS	infrared discrimination system
IEW	intelligence and electronic warfare
IEWSE	intelligence and electronic warfare support element
IFF	identification, friend or foe
IFFN	identification, friend, foe, or neutral
INTSUM	intelligence summary
IP	initial point
IPB	intelligence preparation of the battlefield
IR	infrared
ITV	improved TOW vehicle
I ²	I squared (image intensification)
JAAT	joint air attack team
JTIDS	joint tactical information distribution system
KE	kinetic energy
KIA	killed in action
km	kilometer(s)
kph	kilometer(s) per hour (as a unit of measure only)
kmih	kilometers in the hour
kmph	kilometer(s) per hour (as a unit of measure that indicates motion)
KY	Kentucky
LANTIRN	low-altitude navigation and targeting infrared for night
LAPES	low-altitude parachute extraction system
LBE	load-bearing equipment
LC	line of contact
LCC	land component commander
LCSS	lightweight camouflage screen system
LD	line of departure; low drag
LD/LC	line of departure is line of contact

LGB	laser guided bomb
LO	liaison officer
LOA	light observation aircraft; limit of advance
LOC	line(s) of communication
LOG	logistics
LOGPAC	logistics package
LRF	laser range finder
LRP	logistics release point
MAC	military air command
MAGTF	Marine air ground task force
medic(s)	medical person; medical personnel
MEF	Marine expeditionary force
MEMO	mission-essential maintenance only
METT-T	mission, enemy, terrain, troops, and time available
MEU	Marine expeditionary unit
MHE	material-handling equipment
MI	military intelligence
MIC	mid-intensity conflict
MICLIC	mine clearing line charge
mih	miles in the hour
MLC	main line of communication
MLRS	multiple-launch rocket system
mm	millimeter(s)
MMS	multimission ship
MOPP	mission-oriented protection posture
MORT	mortar (in illustration)
MOS	military occupational specialty
MOUT	military operations on urbanized terrain
MP	military police
MPF	maritime pre-positioning forces
mph	miles per hour
MPP	mobile pre-positioning
MPSRON-1	maritime pre-positioning squadron one
MPSRON-2	maritime pre-positioning squadron two
MPSRON-3	maritime pre-positioning squadron three
MPT	mobile pay team
MR	motorized rifle
MRB	motorized rifle battalion
MRC	motorized rifle company
MRD	motorized rifle division
MRE	meals, ready to eat
MRL	multiple rocket launcher
MRP	motorized rifle platoon
MRR	motorized rifle regiment
MRS	motorized rifle squad
MRS	muzzle reference system
MSB	main support battalion
MSE	mobile subscriber equipment

MSR	main supply route
MSRT	mobile subscriber radiotelephone terminal
MST	maintenance support team
MTF	medical treatment facilities
MTLR	moving target locating radar
MTOE	modification table of organization and equipment
MTP	mission training plan
MULE	modular universal laser equipment
NAI	named areas of interest
NATO	North Atlantic Treaty Organization
NBC	nuclear, biological, chemical
NBCWRS	NBC warning and reporting system
NCO	noncommissioned officer
NCOIC	noncommissioned officer in charge
NCS	net control station
NET	new equipment training
NGLO	naval gunfire liaison officer
NLT	no later than
NOD	night observation device
NOE	nap of the earth
NVD	night-vision device
NVG	night-vision goggles
NZO	standing barrier fire
OCOKA	observation and fields of fire, cover and concealment, obstacles, key terrain, avenues of approach
OI	operations and intelligence
OIC	officer in charge
OIR	other intelligence requirements
OMG	operational maneuver group
OP	observation post
OPCON	operational control
OPLAN	operation plan
OPORD	operation order
OPSEC	operations security
ORP	objective rally point
P&A	personnel and administration
PAC	Personnel and Administrative Center
PADS	position and azimuth determining system
PDS	personnel daily summary reports
PERINTREP	periodic intelligence report
PEWS	platoon early warning system
PIR	priority intelligence requirement
PL	phase line(s)

PJH	(a hybrid PLRS)
PLL	prescribed load list
PLRS	position location reporting system
plt	platoon
POL	petroleum, oils, and lubricants
PMCS	preventive maintenance checks and services
POMCUS	prepositioning of materiel configured to unit sets
PP	passage point(s)
PRF	pulse repetition frequency
PSG	platoon sergeant
PSNCO	personnel services noncommissioned officer
PSO	personnel services officer
PSP	pierced-steel planking
PSS	personnel service support
PST	pass time
PWRS	prepositioned war reserve stock
PX	post exchange
PZ	pick up zone
PZO	rolling barrier fire
QSTAG	Quadripartite Standardization Agreement
RAG	regimental artillery group
RAOC	rear area operations center
RAP	rocket-assisted projectile
RAU	radio access units
REG	repair and evacuation group
REMS	remotely employed sensor
RETRANS	relay station; retransmit
RFL	restrictive fire line
ROE	rules of engagement
ROWPU	reverse osmosis water purification unit
RP	release point
RPG	rocket-propelled grenade
R&S	reconnaissance and surveillance
RSR	required supply rate
RT	right; route
RX	repairable exchange
2IC	second in command
S&S	supply and service
S1	adjutant
S2	intelligence officer
S3	operations and training officer
S3-Air	assistant battalion S3 (air operations)
S4	supply officer
SAFAD	small arms for air defense
SAM	surface-to-air missile

SCT	scout (in illustration)
SGM	sergeant major
SITREP	situation report
SLGR	small lightweight GPS receiver
SME	subject matter expert
SOI	signal operation instructions
SOP	standing operating procedure
SP	start point
SPG	self-propelled grenade
sq km	square kilometer(s)
S&S	supply and service
SSB	single side band
STANAG	Standardization Agreement
STB	supertropical bleach
TAACOM	Theater Army Air Defense Command
TAC-A	tactical air coordinator-airborne
TAC CP	tactical command post
TACCS	Tactical Army Combat Service Support (CSS) Computer System
TACFIRE	tactical fire direction system
TACP	tactical air control party
TAI	target areas of interest
TAMMS	The Army Maintenance Management System
TAR	tactical air reconnaissance
TSC	training support center
TC	tank commander
TCF	tactical combat force
TCP	tactical computer processor
TCT	tactical computer terminal
TD	tank division
TDIS	time-distance
TEWT	tactical exercise without troops
TF	task force
TIRS	terrain index reference system
TIS	thermal imaging system
TOC	tactical operations center
TOE	table(s) of organization and equipment
TOT	time on target
TOW	tube-launched, optically tracked, wire-guided missile
TPU	tank and pump unit
TR	tank regiment
TRP	target reference points
TSOP	tactical SOP
UAV	unmanned aerial vehicle
UH	utility helicopter

UHF	ultra high frequency
UMCP	unit maintenance collection point
UMT	unit maintenance team; unit ministry team
US	United States (of America)
USAF	United States Air Force
USMC	United States Marine Corps
USN	United States Navy
VFMED	variable format message entry device
VHF	very high frequency
VINSON	encryption device
vpkm	vehicle per kilometer
VTR	vehicle/tank retriever
WCS	weapons control status
WESS	weapons effect signature simulator
WIA	wounded in action
WO	warning order
WP	white phosphorus
WSM	weapon system manager
WSRO	weapons systems replacement operations
WTR	wide temperature range
XO	executive officer